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Will be Called to the Colors.

The following young men of Adair county registered here on the 5th of army service:

Willie Graves, Bliss.
Virgil Lasley, Columbia.
John Lee Smith, Columbia.
Roy Dudley, Gradyville.
Frank Vaughn, Cane Valley.
Robert Baker, Bliss.
Lumber Grady, Gradyville.
Isiah Williams, Pellyton.
Ben Ed Johnson, Milltown.
All colored.

Geo. Allen Cape, Crocus.
Robert Elmer Loy, Gadberrry.
Tennie Cundiff, Heraline.
William E. Thomas, Glensfork.
Thos. Huddleston, Glensfork.
Elmer Moore, Gradyville.
Caleb D. Caldwell, Milltown.
Sam Simpson, Breeding.
Otho Miller, Crocus.
James Robert Herriford, Columbia.
Ola Guy Rowe, Sparksville.
Eddie McKinley Mills, Pellyton.
Reubin Wright, Crocus.
Curtis Rollin Keltner, Gradyville.
Milton Lee Harvey, Fairplay.
Omer Hutchison, Columbia.
Elmer Estle Bryant, Ella.
Geo. B. Kimbler, Columbia.
Marvin Ballinger, Glensfork.
Mervin Ballinger, Glensfork.
Charlie Levy Bryant, Columbia.
C. C. Yates, Columbia.
Chas. E. Harris, Columbia.
Henry Morris, Ozark.
H. C. Vaughan, Columbia.
Alvin Lewis, Columbia.
Bryant Gilpin, Milltown.
Lee Russell Compton, Nell.
Rollin Burton, Purdy.
Hobart Chelf, Casey Creek.
Claude Cooley, Asher.
Joseph K. Abell, Clementsville.
Alvin Johnson Humphrey, Holmes.
Chester B. Petty, Glensfork.
Edgar Lawhorn, Glensfork.
Vannus Lee Sharp, Gadberrry.
Chess Jessie, Tolia.
Leslie Hoover, Fairplay.
Bud Yarberrry, Sparksville.
Leomer Cleat Blair, Casey Creek.
Hobart McKinley Grider, Weed.
McKinley Moore, Weed.
Rollin Patton, Breeding.
Sullivan Coomes, Asher.
Thomas Powers, Milltown.
Arthur Robinson, Yuma.
Milton Bryant Atchley, Gentry's Mill.
Riley Harmon, Gentry's Mill.
Henry Rufus Morgan, Columbia.
Ed Lee Grant, Glensfork.
Dempsey Buel Bault, Knifley.
O. Winfrey Beard, Asher.
Ralph Corbin, Knifley.
T. A. Strevals, Purdy.
Geo. Denney Beard, Coburg.
Johnnie Burton, Garlin.
U. L. Rodgers, Milltown.
Anell Thomas, Fairplay.
Leslie Dudley, Gradyville.
Robt. Lee Caldwell, Milltown.
Buford Tim Bailey, Craycraft.
Frank Curry, Cane Valley.
Avrey Tedder, Casey Creek.
Walter Wilson Furkin, Cane Valley.
John Henry Williams, Dunnville.
A. D. Summers, Gadberrry.
Fred Estes, Sparksville.
Chas. Culberson Morgan, Glensfork.
Guy W. Coomer, Fairplay.
Jack Richard Jones, Dulworth.
Garlin Keltner, Gradyville.
Sam Cundiff, Ella.
William Goodin, Kearns.
Gilliam Branham, Breeding.
Bryan Dudley, Glensfork.
Chester Dooley, Garlin.
Noah Page, Sparksville.
Everett Strevals, Kearns.
Ores Royse, Breeding.
John Bradshaw, Montpelier.
Loren Thomas, Sano.
Bennie Wheeler, Knifley.
Bill Beard, Milltown.
Elmer Gaskins, Roy.
Eb Burress, Columbia.
Geo. Henry Parnell, Keltner.
Milton Wheat, Fairplay.
Charlie Norman Smith, Dulworth.
Luther Wright, Crocus.
Azra Grant, Cane Valley.
Herbert Roberts, Tarter.
Clarence M. Capeheart, Speck.
Lawrence Moore, Basil.
Sanford Pointer, Speck.
Herbert Aaron Walker, Casey Creek.
Leslie Banks, Cane Valley.
Willie Andrew, Glensfork.
Millard Burton, Cane Valley.
John Thomas Dunbar, Columbia.
Marion McKinley Greer, Casey Creek.
Thad Sanders, Casey Creek.
Robert Allen, Knifley.
Shelby Lee Williams, Casey Creek.
Chris Alin Fudge, Tolia.
Lonnie Roa, Sparksville.
Lyman Keltner, Pyrus.
Bob Fudge, Breeding.
Golden Beard, Holmes.
Bertress Sparkes, Tolia.
James Ralph Shirley, Milltown.
Sewell Tennyson Vaughn, Glensfork.
W. W. Wheat, Tarter.
Glen Scott, Casey Creek.

The Church Convention.

The Convention of the Christian Churches, embracing a number of counties, was held in Columbia, beginning last Friday evening and continuing over Sunday. There were quite a number of ministers and delegates present, and during the session there were a number of able addresses. Saturday dinner was spread on the church lawn and it was a magnificent affair. There were two services Sunday forenoon, Eld. Wentmore preached at the Christian church, and Eld. Elliott at the Presbyterian church, large congregations attending. Eld. W. G. Montgomery and Eld. J. Q. Montgomery, the former from Campbellsville, the latter from Liberty, were here. The first named delivered an address Saturday afternoon. There were other prominent ministers in the convention whose names we failed to get. There were also six or eight ladies, well-known church workers, from a distance, present. During the session Mrs. Z. T. Williams, wife of the local pastor, who is zealous in the affairs of the church, delivered the welcome address on Friday evening.

Altogether it was a very happy gathering of a large number of Christian people, and their coming to Columbia will long be remembered.

Otha Gid Allen, Gentry's Mill.
Geo. Herbert Redford, Knifley.
Henry Pike, Coburg.
Albert Wesley Caylor, Breeding.
Hogard Campbell, Sparksville.
Robert Owen Taylor, Fairplay.
Hobart Coomer, Breeding.
Tom Dickerson, Columbia.

We have a large stock of Mens, Ladies and childrens low cut shoes, stylish lasts and leathers, at 25 per cent. less than present values.

33-2t Russell & Co.

Mr. T. E. Waggener has returned from a trip to Oklahoma. He says that the State will harvest a tremendous wheat crop, but farmers are scarce of help. When he left farm hands were demanding four dollars per day. He also said that threshers had fixed the price at 30 cents per bushel. He left Mr. J. S. Naylor and family in fine health and doing well. He likes the country very much, but he did not buy land, but later he may return to that State.

There is much talk about mail order houses doing the business of this section of country. The way to stop this class of business is for the merchants of this part of the State to compete with mail order houses. Keep the goods on sale, the quality that is usually ordered. By the time the purchaser pays the express or the postage on a consignment from Chicago, it comes no cheaper than were it bought at home.

Mrs. Elizabeth Collins, widow of the late T. F. Collins, has returned to Columbia to live. Her dwelling is rented for the year, but she has secured apartments in the Hancock building, near the square. She says it was too lonesome in the country for her, and that she is perfectly satisfied now.

Margaret and Virginia Harris, Marguerite and Pearl Bennett, Anna Dooney, Nell Smith, John Beard, J. Frank Walker, Mrs. Emma Bryant and Miss Evelyn Simmons, who were recently received into the Baptist Church, were immersed in Pettisfork, last Tuesday afternoon, Rev. O. P. Bush officiating.

Eld. Kirby Smith, of Jamestown, Tenn., son-in-law of Eld. Z. T. Williams, preached an interesting discourse at the Christian church last Wednesday evening. Quite a number were out to hear him.

Mrs. Mary Taylor, wife of W. E. Taylor, who lives near the Simon Wheat spring, in the Southern portion of town, died last Tuesday night. Burying in the city cemetery Wednesday afternoon.

Sergeant Paul G. Chandler has been commissioned a Second Lieutenant and with one hundred other officers will go to Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark., where they will report for duty.

One hundred and thirty-one young men, who have become twenty-one years old since June 5, 1917, registered here last Wednesday for military service. They are expecting an early call.

A. B. Cox's sons sold a pair of aged mules to U. S. Bradshaw, of color, for \$200.

The binders are busy this week and nearly all the wheat will be cut.

Back Home.

Mr. Tyler Y. Chandler, who left here twenty-eight years ago, removing with his family to Hillsboro, Texas, returned last Saturday afternoon, in company with his youngest daughter, Miss Anna Mildred. They stopped at the home of Judge Rollin Hurt. Mrs. Hurt being a sister of Mr. Chandler. Mr. Chandler is a salesman by profession, and when he left here he was one of the most popular young men in Columbia, and was also well-known over the county. His friends of Columbia and throughout the county will be glad to meet him. He does not know how long he and his daughter will remain, but he stated upon his arrival that he would be here long enough to meet and shake hands with all his friends, and to see the children who have been born to his old associates since his departure. Mr. Chandler's wife, who was Miss Nettie Winfrey, born and reared here, died about six months ago. His youngest son is fighting for his country.

Druggets, Sewing Machines and Rocking chairs at 33-2t Albin Murray's

Attention, Masons.

We are authorized to state that there will be an all day gathering of the Masons of this county, at the Fair Grounds, Saturday, the 22nd of this month. Every body is invited to be present and all who attend are expected to bring dinner. The committee is at work and all arrangement will be completed for an enjoyable day. The ladies are given a special invitation, and they will be expected to spread the dinner. There will be a number of addresses, Grand Secretary, Dave Jackson, being one of the invited speakers. The committee is to arrange for music. The committee will also sell privately refreshment stands. For further information see A. G. Todd, Columbia, Ky.

District Conference.

The district conference over which Rev. S. G. Shelly presided, convened at Albany last week and it was largely attended. This conference embraces quite a number of counties, and nearly all the Churches were represented. A great deal of important business was transacted and quite a number of able discourses delivered. The reports from the various Churches showed that the membership had largely increased since the last Conference. The delegates from this and Taylor county returned the latter part of last week.

FOR SALE

By The Jeffries Realty Company.

56 Acres, three miles from Columbia, on upper Greensburg road, 1 mile from school, good peach orchard, good soil and level land, well watered, 15 acres timber, good five-room house, barn 38x40 feet, good fencing, 15 acres in grass. Price \$2,750. Easy terms.

C. G. JEFFRIES REALTY CO
Columbia, - - - Kentucky.

On account of the large acreage prepared for tobacco in Adair county, plants run short last week. We have been told that a number of growers failed to set all their ground. One grower said in our presence Friday, "I believe that as many as a dozen persons were at my house yesterday, looking for plants." He further said that quite a number of growers got their ground set, lacking four and five rows, and had to quit.

The Adair County Teachers' Institute will open in Columbia Monday, July 29th. It will be conducted by Prof. A. C. Burton, of Bowling Green. All teachers must put in an appearance and remain during the week.

Forty thousand colored men will be called into service June 20th. They will come mostly from Southern States. Kentucky is to furnish two thousand.

One day last week, near Eller, Russell county, Miss Crella Wilson and Mr. Jesse Bernard were united in marriage by Rev. A. F. Chrisman.

The Russell county Institute will be held the week beginning July 8. All teachers in the county are requested to attend.

Mr. Tilford Foley and Miss Ezona Tarter, who reside in the Longstreet community, Russell county, were recently married.

A Former Citizen.

Mr. Albert J. Cox, who is a native of this county, a brother of Mr. A. B. Cox, is here, on a visit. He is now a resident of Drexel, Mo., and has been in that State forty-two years. He served in the Federal army during the war of the rebellion, and a short time after hostilities ceased, he was married to Miss Loucinda Ewing, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Ewing, who was partly reared in Columbia. She died about twelve years ago. In conversation with him he was asked about the Ewing boys. He said Dick owns a very good farm in Missouri, that he saw him three years ago, and supposed that he was living, as he had not heard of his death. Ike is employed in the car shops at Jeffersonville, Ind.; Mrs. Parr, who was Mattie Ewing, is in the Masonic Home, Louisville, in charge of the small children Jo and Frank are both dead. Jo was the first to die, and Frank was killed in a railroad wreck, at some place in the South, twelve years ago.

Notice.

This day came J. L. Feese and H. S. Simpson and produced a petition asking that a change be made from Little Cake voting precinct and Casey Creek voting precinct to the Egypt voting precinct. It appearing to the satisfaction of the court that said change is proper to be made, it is therefore ordered that the boundary line of Egypt voting precinct be so changed as to include the additional territory and to run as follows, viz: Beginning at the old Wade place to and including Henry Corbin's, thence to and including John E. Burton's place, (known as the Rufus Jones farm,) thence to and including Dock Harden, thence to and including (from Little Cake precinct) John W. Burton's place, (known as old Damron place,) thence to and including J. L. Feese's farm, (known as the Gadberrry farm,) thence to and including Mary Hadley's farm, thence to and including Henry Simpson's farm, thence to the Joe Denton farm, including him.

Will Shoot the Well.

Mr. Joseph Kries, of Denver, Colorado, Superintendent of the Southern Oil and Refining Company, reached Columbia last Thursday. Drilling will be discontinued in first well on the Hadley farm, and as oil sand has been found, later the company will shoot the well, believing that a good flow of oil will be brought in. On the same farm Mr. Kries has selected a location for the second well, and drilling will start at once.

All merchants and hucksters, who deal in eggs must have licenses to handle same, and before buying they must candle them. Farmer's wives are urged to take especial care with their eggs and send them to market often.

Jo Pierce, who is in the draft, and who failed to answer to his name when the roll was called, came into Columbia last Friday morning. He stated that he had been in school at Berea; that the card mailed to him at Craycraft, this county, failed to reach him, and that he was now ready for service.

Entering the army has made a big hole in the voting population of Adair county, and in consequence of so many young men leaving home, there will be less wheat sown this fall, at a time when the crop should be large. Farm help is hard to secure now and later it will be more difficult.

At the Russell circuit court, which will open next Monday, a representative of this paper will be present. All patrons of The News who know that they are owing for their paper will be called upon for settlement. Please be ready with the required amount.

There are a number of plots of land inside the corporate limits of Columbia that have been set in tobacco. The crop, when all out, this season, will be the largest ever set in Adair county. Both dark and Burley will be grown.

Mrs. B. O. Hurt, who was seriously afflicted, underwent a very serious operation in St. Anthony, Hospital, Tuesday morning, the 4th inst. It was successful, but Mrs. Hurt will remain in the hospital several weeks.

Burton Yates lost a cow valued at one hundred dollars—killed by lightning.

Born, to the wife of A. R. Bishop, June 2, 1918, a son—A. R. Bishop, Jr.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

ADAIR CIRCUIT COURT OF KENTUCKY.

Annie M. Jarvis, Statutory Gdn. for Clem and Mary C. Jarvis and Annie M. Jarvis, Plaintiff, vs. Clem and Mary C. Jarvis, Defendants.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of Adair Circuit Court, rendered at the January and May Terms, thereof, 1918, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door, in Columbia, Ky., to the highest bidder, at Public Auction, on Monday, the 1st day of July, 1918, at one o'clock, p. m., or thereabout, (being County Court,) upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to-wit: A certain tract of land, lying in Adair county, Kentucky, on and near the waters of Cane Fork creek, near the town of Coburg, and is the same land conveyed to C. H. Jarvis by John C. Dudgeon and wife by deed, dated November 3, 1912, and of record in the Adair County Court Clerk's Office, in Deed Book 32, page 600. For more complete description reference is made to the Judgment, pleadings, and Order of Sale.

For the purchase price, the purchaser, with approved surety or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. W. A. Coffey, Master Commissioner.

Birthday Party.

Miss Pearl Bennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Bennett entertained quite a number of her little friends last Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock, in honor of her 11th birthday. Games were played and the hours were delightfully spent. Refreshments were served. The following were present: Louise Rowe, Evelyn Simmons, Alta Barbee, Marshall Paull, Louise Epperson, Allene Neil, Nell Smith, Edrie Pendleton, Marguerite and Bessie Bennett.

For Sale.

One Fairbanks-Morse, 6 H. P. Gasoline Engine, Horizontal. In first-class condition. A bargain. Also one four horse power, upright Engine.

Apply at News Office.

Next Monday the Russell circuit court will open and evidently there will be an unusually large crowd in town. We are informed that Hon. D. C. Edwards and Hon. J. M. Robison, opposing Republican candidates for Congress in the Eleventh district, will be present and will make speeches.

Rev. Watson will preach at Gradyville next Sunday night, as the rainy day prevented the 1st Sunday evening. Young people's service at Union next Sunday.

Lambert Sanders lost two mules, valued at \$350 last Friday night. He had some arsenic in his barn which he kept for his hogs. His mules got to it, turned it over and licked it down. They were dead when found.

To Stone Cement Contractors.

We will, as soon as practicable, let a contract for the construction of a stone and concrete dam, 85 feet long by 12 feet high across Russell's creek one mile below Columbia. Any contractor interested in bidding on this work call on Farmers Mill Co., 32-tf. Columbia, Ky.

Outside of Adair, there were perhaps more people here from Cumberland county, to attend the Convention of the Christian churches, than from any other county.

The street fair at Campbellsville, last week, drew quite a number of Adair county people.

Notice.

I will pay you the market price in cash for your chickens and eggs. 32-2t Geo. McLean.

The next term of the Adair circuit court will commence the first Monday in next month.

A great deal of wheat will be cut this week.

Wake Up.

There ought to be a concerted action upon the part of the business men of Columbia to bring a larger volume of trade to town. There is no use to deny the fact that there have been fewer goods sold by the merchants of this place in the last six weeks than has been known, in the same length of time, for the past ten years. The merchants of Columbia are not offering inducements, as the business men in adjoining counties, hence the trade that naturally belongs here is going elsewhere. We have good merchants, men who are able to carry large and varied stocks, and if they expect to reap a paying trade, they must be prepared to meet demands, and let the country people know that they are ready to accommodate them. You can not sell goods unless you keep them. Bring on the goods and let the people know that you are ready to hand them over the counter.

Go to Albin Murray's for your Furniture. 33-2t

In France.

Mr. Irvine Page, son of Dr. L. F. Page, Indianapolis, Ind., spent two days of last week with his uncle, Mr. Jas. T. Page, and aunt, Mrs. Mary J. Blakeman. He was just from Cornell University. He is the only member of his father's family who is in America. His mother and younger brothers and sisters are in South America, and his father and older brother are in France. His father is in charge of a base hospital and his brother is in the artillery service. He read a letter from his father which stated that he and his brother were well, though the latter had been slightly gassed.

For Sale.

My home in Columbia, located on Greensburg street. New house, modern in every respect, two and one quarter acres of land, good garden, stock pasture with good spring. Well at the door. For further information see Bruce Montgomery. 32-tf. W. E. McCandless.

Just Out.

It was announced the first of this week that Mr. J. Campbell Hutchison, of this place, and Miss Malissa Hord, of Campbellsville, were secretly married on the 5th of May. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hutchison, and the bride a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hord.

The couple will reside in Campbellsville. Friends are ready to extend congratulations.

Repair Shop.

I have rented the Kearnes brick shop, and with a full set of tools, I am ready to do all kinds of automobile repairing. 31-3t. Jo E. Flowers.

A letter from Dr. O. P. Miller, who is at Camp Oglethorpe, Ga., states that he has finished his military course, and that at present he and a comrade are drilling two hundred and fifty men.

Born, to the wife of Bryan Royse, June 8, 1918, a son—Wm. Bryan Royse, Jr. His mother is doing nicely and his father is in France.

Jo Z. Conover sold to Bennett & Grasham two cows and four calves and nine head of sheep for \$312.

Born, to the wife of Lawrence Montgomery, Ozark, on the 8th, a daughter.

Born, to the wife of Dr. L. H. Jones, June 5, 1918, a son, weight 10 pounds.

Wanted.

I want to buy a set of corn-mill burrs. Size, 14 to 18. G. W. Helm, 31-4t. Montpelier, Ky.

I keep on hands a full stock of coffins, caskets, and robes. I also keep Metallic Caskets, and Steel Boxes and two hearses. We keep extra large caskets. Prompt service night or day. Residence Phone 29, office phone 168. 35-2t F. Triplett, Columbia, Ky.